



TOP CITIZEN—Elbert Wilson, above left, is being presented with a Chamber of Commerce certificate naming him as top citizen of Slaton for the second quarter of 1949. Making the presentation is George Brassell, Jr., president of the chamber. (Photograph by P. G. Meading.)

Elbert Wilson Chosen Slaton's Top Citizen

Elbert Wilson has been chosen Slaton's "top citizen" for the second quarter of this year by the Chamber of Commerce.

The chamber selected Wilson for what they described as "the result of his outstanding citizenship and his unwavering loyalty to his community by doing unto others as he would have them do unto him."

Presentation of a certificate of distinguished service was presented Wilson by George W. Brassell, Jr., president of the organization, at a meeting late last week.

Mrs. Henry Edson received the award at the end of the first quarter of the year for her service here with the American Red Cross.

Wilson is now chairman of the disaster committee of the local Red Cross chapter, and is a certified first aid instructor. He is beginning his 15th year as chief of the Slaton Volunteer Fire department, of which he has been a member since coming to Slaton. He is also a member of the Slaton Lions club, organizing held office in that organization in the past.

He is service foreman for the Southwestern Public Service company here, having served with that company for 29 years. He has been recently presented a pin for "27 years service with no lost time accidents." Lewis Hollingsworth, local manager of the company, said this signified that Wilson had lost no time from work due to accidents during this period of service. He said it was a credit to Wilson's work with the company.

The certificate awarded by the Chamber of Commerce reads: "For outstanding community service and faithfulness in the performance of duties, and meriting special confidence and esteem because of manifested co-operation and loyalty recognition for distinguished service is hereby accorded."

Wilson was born in Commerce, Texas, Sept. 26, 1895, moving to Plainview while a youth. In 1920 he was employed by the old West Texas Utilities company, and in 1923 was transferred to Slaton.

He is married and the father of two daughters. He and his family reside at 755 South Tenth Street.

Cooper, Wolforth Play Here Sunday

Sunday afternoon at 3:00 at Lions Park a Cotton Belt League baseball game will be played between Cooper and Wolforth, currently battling for possession of second place in the eight-team league.

Cooper is now in second place, Wolforth is third. Cooper lost their only game to Shallowater, currently the league leader.

The league is made up of teams immediately surrounding Lubbock, and plays similar ball to that seen in the Oil Belt League, of which Slaton Lions are a member. Cooper will be the home team, and plan to use the local park regularly on Sunday, when made available by the local club. A small admission charge will be made.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Blair returned Friday from a week's vacation spent in Durango, Colo. They were accompanied to Colorado by Mr. Blair's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Welch of Ft. Sumner, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Neill returned this week from their cabin at Ruidoso, N. M., where they spent several days enjoying the cool mountain air.

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Mercury Readings Above 100 Degrees

In case there are any citizens who haven't noticed, it has been hot this week—at least that is what the thermometer at the West Texas Gas company offices has shown.

From Sunday through Wednesday of this week the mercury soared to 100 or above each day, and never was below 70 at any time.

Monday the reading was 103 degrees, the week's high, while the early Sunday reading of 70 degrees was low. Sunday did warm up some, however, reaching 102. Tuesday's high was the same. Wednesday, by mid-afternoon the thermometer reached 100 and still moving upward.

Touchdown Club Schedules First Meeting Tonight



C. R. PATTISON SPEAKS TONIGHT

Featuring a talk by Lubbock High School Head Coach C. R. Pattison, the Slaton Touchdown Club, local "booster" organization for high school athletic teams, holds its first meeting of the 1949-50 school year tonight at 7:30 in the City Hall auditorium.

Pattison, widely known coach and speaker, will deliver a short talk and show movies of a 1948 Lubbock High Westerner football game. He said last week that the film taken at last season's Odessa contest would be his likely choice. Bland Tomlinson will act as chair at the meeting until new officers are elected. A president, vice president, secretary and treasurer will be selected at the meeting.

Plans and objectives for the coming year will also be discussed. Coach Clarence Tillery will give a brief talk on the coming season, and Slaton High School's prospects for a grid contender.

The Win One Class of the First Methodist Church will meet in the home of Mrs. Elbert Wilson, 735 S. 10th St., Friday, July 22, at 3:00 p. m. Mrs. J. E. Rucker and Mrs. R. W. Scott are to be co-hostesses.

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Santa Fe May Cut Two Trains From Present Schedule

Following hearings with Santa Fe railroad officials, and labor representatives two members of the Chamber of Commerce, and one representative of official Slaton were attending a meeting of the Texas Railroad Commission Thursday in Lubbock.

The hearings are an outgrowth of the railroad's proposal to cut two trains from the present schedule running through Slaton. Under the plan passenger train number 91 and 92 would cease to run through West Texas.

The diesel streamliner, now carrying the above number, would continue to serve running direct to Brownwood and Dallas, and on to Houston. The present passenger train, running to Sweetwater and Dallas would cease to function.

The Chamber of Commerce met with both railroad officials and labor groups to hear arguments for and against the proposal. The railroad claims that their service of express and mail would be improved with removal of the present passenger run, and addition of the direct train to Dallas.

P. G. Meading, chamber of commerce manager, and B. N. Ball, one of the members, were in Lubbock Thursday along with Mayor Lee Wootton for a hearing before the railroad commission. Snyder, Post and Hermeleigh also were to be represented.

Burglary Is Under Investigation By Local Police Force

Six arrests were reported made by the police department since last Thursday, while one burglary was under investigation here.

The residence of Fred Schmidt, Jr., was entered Tuesday night, between 8:30 and 9 o'clock, while no one was at home, and about \$16 in cash taken.

Chief of Police Ernest Ward said Wednesday that the burglar was evidently "looking for cash only, as a watch and other valuables were in plain sight, but left untouched."

Four drunks were arrested this week and charged in city court. One person was arrested for vagrancy and one for disturbing the peace, the official report said.

FUNERAL IS HELD FOR TWENTY YEAR RESIDENT

Funeral services were conducted from the First Methodist Church at 4:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon, July 17, for Mrs. Lena Woosley, who had been a resident of Slaton for twenty years. Rev. O. B. Herring officiated. Mrs. Woosley died last Friday at the home of her son, J. H. Woosley, in Vernon.

Burial was in Englewood Cemetery under the direction of the Williams Funeral Home.

She is survived by three sons: W. J. Woosley of Lamesa, J. H. Woosley of Vernon and Joe Woosley of Seminole; and one daughter, Mrs. A. W. Albrecht of San Antonio.

Mrs. Earl Matney and son, Gary, of Littlefield left Tuesday after spending several days visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Lively.

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Nine Games Team; Dis

With prospects fair for a better-than-average football team here this year the Slaton High School Tigers open a nine game schedule at home Friday night, September 9 against the Floydada Whirlwinds.

With four regular conference foes slated the Tigers will battle five opponents from outside their regular district race.

Once again Slaton will compete in the South Half of District 4-A, being forced to split their 11-team district to eliminate ten consecutive conference games.

In conference games the Tigers will meet Tahoka, Seagraves, O'Donnell and Post. Outside the conference Muleshoe, Abernathy, Sundown, Morton and Floydada furnish opposition. Muleshoe, Sundown and Morton are members of the North half of District 4-A, but their games will not be recorded for or against the Tiger gridder as league titles. Littlefield, Levelland and Sudan are the other north-half members.

Floydada, a team the Tigers beat 21-12 last year, will be here seeking revenge. They lost but four

J. T. McWilliams Is Severely Beaten



MOVING UP—Shown above are the Slaton Lions, local 1949 entry in the Oil Belt baseball league, who have just moved into sixth place after two consecutive wins. Only slightly behind Post and Levelland, in fourth and fifth place, the Lions are seeking a top-division place and a playoff berth. Slated to face Levelland here Thursday night of this week, the Lions have only five other home games left this year. They play here this coming week, and play one Sunday afternoon game, on August 4, against Tahoka.

Pictured above, from left to right in the front row, are C. E. McCoy, manager-second baseman; Royal James, right field; R. L. Kahlich, left field; H. R. Donaldson, utility outfielder; and Jim Joe Reiger, shortstop. Back row, left to right, are Jimmy Donaldson, center field; Clarence Tillery, first base; William Banks, pitcher-outfielder; A. H. Weaver, second base-outfielder; J. E. Gray, third base; and M. L. Urchery, catcher. Not present were Bill Dill, catcher; J. E. McCoy, pitcher; Cecil French, pitcher; Cecil Hale, pitcher. (Photograph and cut courtesy of Lubbock Avalanche-Journal.)

Trades Day Drawings To Be Held In Slaton

With the opening drawing set for the first Monday afternoon in September, publicity will start early in August in the Slatonite.

ing from a grand prize box. The prizes from individual merchants will be awarded after a drawing from each of three separate boxes. To be eligible to receive these prizes, registrants must sign coupons in these particular stores.

A list of sponsoring merchants will appear weekly in The Slatonite, plus a list of the prizes to be given at the next drawing. All drawings will be held on the city hall square, and a tentative time has been set at 4:00 on each first Monday of the month.

The merchants listed have already subscribed to underwrite the program for six months, or twenty-five weeks.

Those who will offer coupons are Adams Service Station, Ray C. Ayers and Son, Inc., Bain Auto Store, O. Z. Ball and Co., Berkley-Haddock food store, Citizens State Bank, Clay Oates department store, Crow-Harrel Chevrolet company, Davis Motor company, Eaves Produce, Ely Furniture, Home Furniture, Huser Hatchery, Piggly Wiggly food store, Plains Lumber company, Self's Service station, Schuette Service station, Slaton Implement company, Slaton Lumber company, Slaton Steam Laundry, Slaton Motor company, Southwestern Public Service company, Teague's Drug Store, Western Cottonoil Company, and White Auto Store.

Tiger Grid Split Again

chase, and are expected to field another strong team this year. They did not play Slaton last season.

Morton will be in Slaton Oct. 14 to try for their second win over the Tigers, after last year's victory at Morton, 12-6, over a stumbling Tiger crew.

Seagraves, a team that beat Slaton 19-6 for their first win in 18 starts, will be seeking their second win over the locals in a game here October 21.

October 28 O'Donnell's Eagles play at Tiger Stadium. The Eagles won over the locals 26-19 last year at O'Donnell, in a thrilling, high-scoring game.

Following an open date on Nov. 4, the Tigers go to Garza county on Armistice day, Nov. 11, to meet their traditional rivals and defending bi-district champs, the Post Antelopes.

Post won last year 12-6 for their third straight victory over the Tigers in as many years.

O'Donnell and Tahoka are named as co-favorites in this year's race, with Seagraves named the dark horse, Post and Slaton are question mark teams.

Bain Auto Store In New Building

Bain Auto Store, formerly located at 130 North 9th Street, has moved into new surroundings at 145 West Garza, on the north side of the square and is now open for business, according to an announcement by C. R. Bain, owner and manager.

The business firm began moving last week, and made a formal announcement of their new headquarters in last week's Slatonite. However, all of their merchandise was not moved at that time.

The building is the one formerly occupied by the Southwestern Public Service Company, now in their new building on the south side of the square, next to McSweet and Cobb clinic.

Bain stated that he still carries the same lines of merchandise with the same business policies, having added only the new surroundings in a building more convenient to his customers.

"The friendship and support my Slaton friends have given me has enabled my move to a better located and more modern building," Bain said. "And I want them to know that I appreciate their business and support. I hope they will continue to trade with me, and that any persons who have not been doing so, will stop and look over my new stock."

Pleasant Valley To Meet Posey Nine In League Tilt Tonight

Pleasant Valley plays Posey tonight at 8:00 at Lions park to close out the week's play in the Tri-County Softball League. The game will be followed by a clash between Ayers and VFW.

Monday night Midway and Hoyt play in the opener and VFW plays Posey in the other game. Tuesday night Ayers will meet Hoyt in the first game, with the final tilt between Midway and Pleasant Valley.

In games this week Ayers beat Posey 9-7 and lost to Pleasant Valley 7-17. Midway beat VFW 12-4, but the latter nine bounced back to defeat Hoyt 2-1. Two games were not reported.

Dr. R. W. Ragsdale Opens New Offices

Announcement was made this week by Dr. R. W. Ragsdale of the moving of his offices to 105 West Lubbock, from his present headquarters at 125 West Lynn. Dr. Ragsdale's office is now in the same building as that housing the offices of Dr. Don Hatchett.

Ragsdale first opened headquarters in Slaton one year ago. He is a native of Slaton, and a graduate of Slaton High school.

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Local Merchant In Serious Condition At Hospital Here

J. T. McWilliams, local merchant, remained in serious condition at Mercy Hospital Thursday, after being severely beaten about the head and face late Monday afternoon.

The beating occurred at McWilliams' store.

Some improvement has been noted daily since the beating, according to doctor's reports coming through McWilliams' immediate family; but the elderly merchant is still not in a "safe" condition. It was feared for a time after the attack that he would not recover.

Now in Lubbock County jail, charged with assault with intent to murder, is Richard Jones, 32, itinerant railroad section hand. He is under bond of \$5,000 after pleading not guilty to the charge when arraigned before Justice of the Peace John B. Wells Monday night at 10:30.

McWilliams was beaten into unconsciousness, and found battered and bleeding sitting in a chair in his store shortly before 7 p. m. Monday night. He was discovered by a Latin American identified only as Flores.

The cane which apparently was used in the beating was found atop an ice box sitting near the front of a store in the 100 block on North Eighth, about a block from the second hand store where the beating occurred.

Constable Charles D. Yates was the arresting officer, and expressed fear immediately after the attack was discovered that a large amount of money might be missing. However, it was later ascertained that only a small amount of cash was taken from McWilliams.

Oran McWilliams, son of the victim, said he heard "cussing" inside his father's store earlier in the afternoon and investigated. He was told by his father, that no trouble was being encountered. He was told that the man creating the disturbance was arguing "with a Mexican."

McWilliams said the man arrested was the same man who had been in the store earlier in the day. Jones was wearing a suit of clothing too large for him when arrested, and the earlier disturbance had been over a suit of clothes, it was said.

McWilliams came to Slaton in 1941, moving from Tipton, Okla. Jones will be bound over to the 72nd District grand jury meeting slated for August 8. He had not posted bond late this week.

Baptist Revival Drawing Large Crowd Daily



REV. JOE MOTSENBOCKER

Rev. Joe Molsenbocker is the evangelist for the open air revival now in progress at the First Baptist Church. The meeting is off to a good start with large crowds, in fact, so large that seating is scarce. Church officials extend a cordial invitation to everyone and pledge themselves to do their very best to seat all comers.

Jack Terrell invites all youngsters under thirteen years old to the Junior Choir each evening at 7:30 for a good time and a red hot contest. A season of Youth Fellowship featuring back yard gatherings will follow each evening service.

Sunday School attendance last Sunday was 365 while the Training Union number was 144. A truly great day is expected next Sunday. Everyone will receive a warm welcome at all services.

Evening services at 8:00 o'clock Mornings, at 10:00 o'clock.

SOUTH PLAINS BUSINESS AND INDUSTRIAL GUIDE

The Last Lesson

When her husband drove the new car home, she made up her mind then and there. During the next three days, Jim impatiently gave her two driving lessons and she felt that she was almost ready for the wheel of the prettiest convertible in town.

Lesson number three was now almost over. She came to a full stop at a downtown intersection just as Jim had told her she should. But Jim hadn't schooled her enough in the use of the clutch. The car lunged forward and rammed into a gasoline truck just ahead. Sparks from the collision fired the gasoline. The truck driver jumped out, took two or three agonized steps, and collapsed. The woman was thrown through the windshield. Several passers-by danced in and out of the inferno's periphery with valorous, futile at-



tempts at rescue. Hardly anything was salvaged when the fire finally died out. They did find a badge from the truck driver's cap. The raised letters on the badge were barely legible: "In recognition of ten years' safe driving."



(From a booklet issued by The Travelers Insurance Companies)

Dictionaries approved by Slaton High School and Texas Tech, \$4.75 at the Slatonite.

Just received new combination cash register and adding machine. A big value at the Slatonite.

West Texas Roundup

The West Texas Old Settlers Reunion will be held again this year at Ralls on August 4 and 5. Will F. Ezell announced this week. The date and place was set at a meeting in Ralls Monday, attended by Edd McLaughlin, president; Roy Terrell of Lorenzo, Mrs. Tillie Spikes of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gillon of Ralls, C. W. Mann, secretary and Ernest Joiner, president, of the Ralls Chamber of Commerce, and Mr. Ezell. —Crosbyton Review.

Paul Musslewhite was named temporary chairman of the tentative board of directors for the proposed New Hotel Corporation in an organizational meeting of that body Friday night.

Other officers, named by the group, who act in a temporary capacity until the charter for the corporation is issued include Dr. C. M. Phillips, vice-president; R. H. Hester, treasurer and Sam Billingsley, secretary. —Hockley County Herald.

A general business meeting of District 4-A football officials who are members of the north half of the loop, was held in Littlefield Tuesday night, according to Coach Truett Rattan.

Admission prices, the selection of officials and the eligibility rules were discussed by the group. —Hockley County Herald.

The Tribune has an article this week concerning the consolidation of the Lorenzo and Estacado schools which will be voted on July 30. The article deals in facts only and should be of interest to all the people. On account of the length of the article it is too long for this issue and will appear in next week's issue of the TRIBUNE. —Lorenzo Tribune.

Eldon Mahon, general chairman of the Mitchell County Mass Chest X-Ray Project received a letter from Dr. George Cox, State Health officer, this week stating that 2343 x-rays were made in Mitchell county during the two weeks x-rays were being made here.

Dr. Cox stated that thirty-two definite cases of tuberculosis were found, fifteen suspicious cases, and six cases of chest diseases other than tuberculosis. —Colorado Record.

It's an old story to Colorado Citizens by now, but according to City Manager Fred Boone, it is going to be necessary to ration water for the next month or so. At a meeting Monday night of the city council, Mr. Boone was instructed to notify water users to the effect that: That no water is to be used for irrigating and sprinkling during the hours of 4 p. m. and 9 p. m. on any day. On even days of the month homes with even house numbers may water, except as set out above and odd days of the month odd numbered houses may enjoy the above privilege. —Colorado Record.

The Garza County Board of School Trustees met last Thursday afternoon at the court house and made plans for the year under the new Gilmer-Aiken requirements. The board ordered the consolidation of the Hartford school district with the Southland rural school district, as required by residents of the Hartford community.

This week, the Verbena trustees voted to contract with Post under the new law, because of the low daily attendance in their school last year. —Post Dispatch.

Street markers and house numbers for Seagraves have arrived. Harry J. Nunan, chamber of commerce manager, announced this week.

Samples of the attractive metal markers and numerals have been placed on display at the City Hall and may be inspected there, it was reported. —Gaines County News.

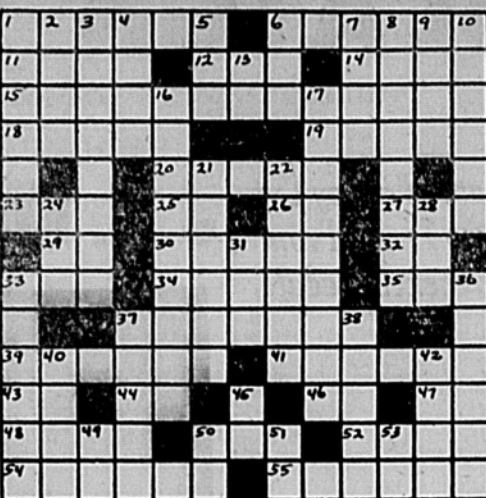
The Southwestern Championship Junior Rodeo was assured this week of having the State Championship Junior Cutting Horse Contest when "Red" Sims offered the use of 25 heifer yearlings for the event, which is to be staged here Aug. 11, 12 and 13.

For the first time in the history of Post rodeos the local enthusiasts will have a chance to see professional trick riders and trick ropers in action at the Junior show. —Post Dispatch.

Medical Insurance
About one and one-half million Americans are covered by medical insurance plans run by the companies for which they work.

Twin Beds Gain Favor
Detroit has started to sleep single, according to reports of retail stores in that city. Before 1945, 62 per cent of the mattresses sold were for double beds. Today, however, twin beds have taken the lead with 32 per cent of the sales.

CROSSWORD ~ ~ ~ By A. C. Gordon



- ACROSS**
- 1—To call for with authority
 - 6—To apprehend
 - 11—A hostile incursion
 - 12—Affirmative
 - 14—One of the Great Lakes
 - 15—Positive affirmations
 - 18—Plaster of Paris
 - 19—A beginning
 - 20—Work
 - 23—Combining form meaning "new"
 - 25—Ancient Chaldea city
 - 26—Bachelor of Medicine (abbrev.)
 - 27—Curious
 - 29—Proposition
 - 30—Clamor
 - 32—Negative
 - 33—Those on the inside
 - 34—Remembrance
 - 35—Affliction of the eye
 - 37—Stops
- DOWN**
- 1—To search out
 - 41—To withdraw
 - 43—Bone
 - 44—Comparative suffix
 - 46—Perform
 - 47—Man's nickname
 - 48—Crams
 - 50—Anger
 - 52—Fruit covering
 - 54—Disarranges
 - 55—Chops into small pieces
- General Interest**
- 16—To offer oneself for any service
 - 17—Distressed
 - 21—In the position of resting
 - 22—To haunt
 - 24—Period of time
 - 28—A woman's marriage dowry
 - 31—Informative Knowledge of industry (abbrev.)
 - 33—To acquaint
 - 36—Surrenders
 - 37—Garb
 - 38—Duelist
 - 40—Brother of Jacob
 - 42—Native of a Scandinavian country
 - 45—Either
 - 49—Manuscript (abbrev.)
 - 50—Exists
 - 51—Printer's measure
 - 52—Suffix signifying "pertaining to"

X-ray in Cancer
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Southland News
MRS. FLOY KING

Little Nancy Voigt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Voigt, who accidentally got hold of a bottle of strychnine last week and supposedly swallowed some, is none the worse, as they rushed her to Mercy Hospital for immediate treatment.

Ned Myers was taken back to Abilene last Thursday, suffering with his knee. His parents were advised to take him to a bone specialist in Dallas, which they did Sunday, but at this time have not received his report.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Smallwood of Odessa, who visited with his parents here while on vacation, returned to their home Saturday.

Mary Frances King accompanied Mrs. Virgil Hudman and Jimmy Lee of Slaton to Post Sunday to visit relatives.

The Holland and Ratliff families, who moved here from Calif., visited relatives in Brownwood over the week end.

The local Methodist Revival begins July 28 and runs through August.

E. P. Wicker, Jr., accompanied his father to Washington, where Mr. Wicker is employed and expects to get a job for E. P.

Otho Doyle of New Home visited Mr. and Mrs. James Parks Sunday.

Victor Vara was able to go back to work Monday after a tonsil operation last week.

J. S. Hill of Tahoka visited his grandson, Glenn Hill, in the Carl Wortes home Sunday.

Mrs. Nellie Mathis spent the week end in Amarillo. Mrs. Julia Kellum is acting postmistress while Mrs. Mathis is away.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Lancaster of Lubbock spent the week end with his parents, the Earl Lancasters.

Joe Gayle Fleming and Jack Lancaster have finished a summer term at Texas Tech.

Mrs. A. A. Ferguson, Mrs. D. D. Pennell and their brothers, J. P. Howard and wife, and Harvie Howard of Post, all visited relatives in Decatur last week.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Dunn over the week end were Mrs. J. S. Davis and son, Marion and his wife of Odessa, and Sunday guests were Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lindsey of Lubbock.

Mrs. John Leake accompanied her daughter, Mrs. Sammie Hendrix, to Kerrville, where they went for Mr. Hendrix, who had been there for several days. They visited friends there and in San Antonio on the return trip.

Mrs. Gladys Hofer and son, Jimmy, of Vernon are visiting her mother, Mrs. R. R. Jones, and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Weaver and family of Abilene visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Weaver, over the week end.

Saturday visitors of C. T. Anderson were his son, Clint, and wife, of Dallas.

Thursday Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Truelock received the list of names of the seventy-five guests attending the Golden Wedding anniversary of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. M. Truelock, which was held at the Park in Plainview on July 10. The honorees shared their home with the younger brother, S. M. Truelock, and his son, Marvin, after Mrs. Truelock's

UNION NEWS
MRS. M. D. GAMBLE

Mrs. W. D. Myers, who was injured in a car wreck near Lubbock Sunday, July 10, was brought home from the West Texas hospital last week and is recovering nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Evans and girls visited at Ropes Friday night.

Misses Francis Edwards and Idella Nelson returned home last Friday night from a few days vacation in Ruidoso, N. M. They were with the Homemaking Club from Cooper. There were several in the group and they report an enjoyable trip.

The Methodist meeting will start July 27 and run through August 7. Rev. Horace Brooks will do the death in 1913. They now live at Earth.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Siewert and Danny attended the birthday supper honoring her father, J. M. Corley, in Lubbock Monday night.

preaching and Zed Robinson will be the song leader. The public is invited to come and take part in the service.

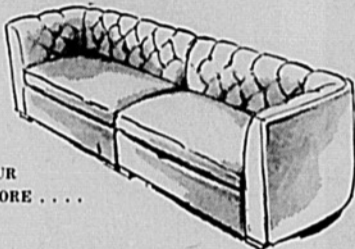
Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Dudley had as their guests her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Whited and son of Bonham and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Whited of Lubbock. They all enjoyed a picnic at the Mackenzie Park at Lubbock Sunday.

Mrs. Otho Doyle went to Vernon last week with her father for treatment and will visit with her sister while there.

Miss Betty Meyers of Lubbock is spending her two weeks vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Meyers. R. D. Meyers is also on his vacation and is helping his father with his farm work.

There was a meeting of the farmers Monday with County Agent David Sherrell and his assistant, Mr. Jones, present. They went to the farm of Leslie Greene and found some flea hoppers. Some farmers have already sprayed their cotton for insects and the spraying will continue if the insects effect the cotton more.

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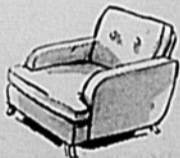


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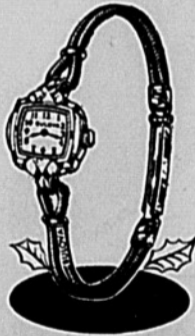
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JUST TALK

by
A.M.J.

There is nothing that tastes better at this time of the year than yellow bantam sweet corn, and so few folks make an attempt to grow it. A lot of people are having extra big size stomach aches now from eating roasting ears when they would have only modern size aches if they had eaten the same amount of yellow bantam sweet corn.

A good many years ago I went to Creed, Colorado, fishing and while we were up there a vegetable peddler sold us some yellow bantam sweet corn and since then I have planted a few rows of it in our garden every year, and for a good many years I have been getting my ears greasy with sweet corn about this time of the year.

There are a number of different kinds of sweet corn, but the yellow bantam to me is the best. The ears are small but the cobb is also small, the kernels are large, sweet and tender and you always have to compete with the worms to get your share of the crop. This kind of corn is seldom on sale in the food stores, in fact I have never seen it in stock at a grocery store but once since I have been in West Texas and that was in Amarillo. It was shipped in from Colorado and cost 15c per ear, its worth it.

Last week Nat Heaton made some dirty cracks about the spelling of sundry words here and there in the Rotary program and accused me of making the errors. He particularly called attention to the fact that the members were referred to in the program as "Rattarians" and wanted me thrown out of the building for such remarks.

As I did not have a thing to do with the publishing of the program I am dumping it all on the back of Ratarian P. G. Meading, who did mimeograph the program which is ratarianing on the printing industry and after deep consideration I feel sorry for P. G., who gets his shirt, nose and the back of his ears dirty trying to print a program on a mimeograph machine that has seen its best days, gets in trouble when he misspells a few words, and seldom hears a kind word for his effort.

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some of her weeds that are growing in her neighborhood in the big weed contest that I am promoting for the season of 1949. The plot of ground is so covered with weeds that it is fast becoming the habitat of boa constrictors, coyotes, bob cats and boy scouts and she expects some big company to start lumbering operations on the plot soon. Not only is the ground covered with weeds but Mrs. Bradley says she has seen several trucks driven into the recesses of the jungle to dump rubbish of different kinds including broken tree limbs, discarded clothing and cats and dogs that are no longer welcome at home.

It is a good example of what can be done with vacant property if the property is ignored says Mrs. Bradley.

Mrs. W. L. Davis, who knows her flowers, vegetables and how to make Mr. Davis and her son behave themselves, reports that she has come to the conclusion that the reason so many folks are complaining about their vegetables and flowers not growing is because most of them plant their gardens in the same place each year and that land is worn out. She advises letting the ground lie idle once every two years so that it can recuperate.

Mrs. Davis said that land out at the place where they have planted a garden this year had been idle for three or four years and that everything that has been planted is bigger and better than it has ever been.

This observation points clearly to a fact that the farm experts have been screaming about for years and that is that the land here in West Texas will be as barren as the land in many parts

of South and Central Texas if the present practice of the farmers continue.

The only difference between the other parts of Texas and this part of the country seems to be that this part of the state is subject to heavy sand storms which keeps the farm land moving from one end of West Texas to the other end the same land is never cultivated twice as the soil gets moved around so fast. The dirt that landed in our back yard this last spring must have been very weak for it has certainly produced some mighty small looking peaches and beans and even the Jimson weeds look anemic.

A classified ad that ran in the Vega, Texas, News was quoted in the Reader's Digest not long ago. The ad read: "Wanted a home for a puppy. House broke except when extremely happy." The puppy is probably located in a good home by now.

It is said that dogs reflect the dispositions of their owners. If this is true my wife and I must be as jittery as frog legs on a hot stove. Every dog we have ever owned has jumped around like the devil were after it with a hot poker.

Bill Barnett, assistant coach for the Tigers, says that the 1949-50 team will be the best aggregation that Slaton has had in many a year and that they will need all the support than can be given them.

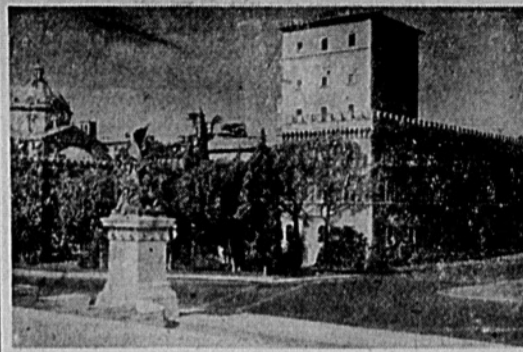
The Touchdown Club will meet tonight at the City Hall Auditorium, and Bill, who has been working for us all summer is doing his best to keep the Slatonite out of the gutter, says he hopes that the men who are interested in the public welfare will come out to the first meeting and give the Club a good start.

Of course your membership is valuable but the Club needs the attendance of the men folks of the town. New officers and directors will be elected.

When I went to school I played on the Paris High school football team when football was not the sissy game it is today. We did not know what a forward pass was, we wore nose guards, shin protectors and some of the players must have carried sledge hammers for I got conked several times by players who could not have hit such hard blows without them. Every season one or two young men got killed, although there were not near as many with broken bones as there are today.

In those days we played for keeps. We did not have many spectators but I believe our games would have been very pleasing to folks who enjoy bull fighting or for the old Romans who attended the fights of the gladiators. If Bill will guarantee at least one game during the season like we used to have I'll come to this Touchdown Club meeting tonight.

From 'Vivas' to Vaccinations . . .



Rome's centuries-old Palazzo Venezia, which not long ago housed Mussolini's offices—the well-known balcony is over the door at right—is the site of the Second World Health Assembly. The Assembly will further develop the United Nations' world-wide attack on disease through the World Health Organization (WHO).

News Summary Featured Weekly

"The Girl Who Wouldn't Grow Old" — Fannie Ward, the "perpetual flapper" admits to be 75 and brags about it. Learn the secret of this famous actress' youth and charm, given in her dramatic life story in the American Weekly, that great magazine distributed with next Sunday's Los Angeles Examiner.

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LUBBOCK, July 18 — Cooke County's annual reunion will be held at 1:00 p. m., Sunday, August 7, in Mackenzie State Park at Lubbock, according to Mrs. G. W. Blair. This is the first reunion to be held by the group since the war started in 1941.

Visitors will bring their own basket of food, and after lunch there will be a business session, at which time new officers will be elected to head the organization.

At the north entrance to the park there will be road markers leading the way to the meeting spot. An invitation is extended to people living in adjoining counties to Cooke.

All who plan to attend the meeting are asked to notify Mrs. G. W. Blair, 2407—10th St., Lubbock, Texas.

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Guest Named Head Of Andrews Store

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Guest have moved to Andrews where he will be manager of the Piggly Wiggly store there, it was announced this week by Haskel Lasater, local store manager.

Guest was first in Slaton the past 18 months, serving as assistant manager of the Piggly Wiggly store here. His wife also worked in the local store, acting as cashier.

Guest was first in Slaton from 1939 until 1943, working as a butcher in the Piggly Wiggly meat market. He moved to Ft. Worth, and then returned here before receiving the Andrews appointment.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Bell and baby and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Forrester, all of Lubbock spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Crumbley. Mrs. Bell, Mrs. Forrester and Mrs. Crumbley are sisters.

Barbara Williams of Childress and Gaynell Greenroyd of Amarillo visited this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Moyer. Barbara is a sister and Gaynell is a niece of Mrs. Moyer.

Atomic Director Testifies



WASHINGTON, D. C.—Dr. Walter H. Zinn (left), of the Argonne National Laboratory in Chicago from which a small quantity of uranium disappeared in February, spent most of the day before the Joint Congressional Atomic Energy Committee. He is shown here with Sen. Brien McMahon (D., Conn.), committee chairman, and Sen. Bourke Hickenlooper (R., Iowa), right, ranking GOP member of the committee. The committee announced that it will make a complete study of Sen. Hickenlooper's demand for the resignation of AEC Chairman David E. Lilienthal.

Looks Like Happy Days For Farmers

A survey of crop conditions around Slaton show that most varied conditions are present. Most all farmers report prospects good. Cotton to the West and South has developed faster than the cotton to the East and North where it was planted in the sand. The tight land cotton is much larger and has more squares on it than the sandy land cotton as this has been a wet year so far and the tight land cotton does better on wet years than it does on dry while the reverse is true on sandy land.

Farmers in the sandy land district say that within a month the sandy land cotton will be in better shape than the cotton on the tight land as by that time the tap roots will have reached to clay beneath the sand and the plant will grow fast as soon as this happens.

Most of the cotton is in good shape as there have been plenty of cotton choppers available. The crops will likely have to be cleaned out once or twice more before picking time.

Grain crops are spotted but most of the grain looks good. Hail damaged a number of early crops in both grain and cotton but the grounds have been replanted. Some of the farms have been replanted as many as four times. Present prospects look better than they have for many years as far as production is concerned and most farmers seem to feel that at least for this year the prices will be good. Labor costs are high and will likely go some higher but it is not likely that they will be any higher than last season. Happy days may be here before long.

GEO. H. WISE, 86, DIES IN YUMA, ARIZONA

Geo. H. Wise, 86, father of Mrs. H. E. Woods of Slaton, passed away in a hospital at Yuma, Ariz., last Sunday morning. Mr. Wise was enroute to Slaton from California, in company with another daughter and her husband, when he became ill and was placed in the hospital at Yuma. Upon receipt of word of his illness, Mrs. Woods and son, George Edward, left Saturday night for his bedside.

Funeral services were held at 4:00 p. m., Wednesday in Tucumcari, N. M.

Other survivors include Mrs. Dave Yung of Los Angeles, Calif., Mrs. J. H. Batey of Santa Fe, N. M., Mrs. Coy Hawkins of Clovis, N. M., another daughter whose name was unknown here, Geo. Wise, Jr., of Tucumcari, and J. M. Wise of California.

Mr. Wise had spent several months at a time in the home of Mrs. Woods during past years.

SOCIAL ENJOYED

The Ladies Society of the B. of L. F. & E. met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. J. A. Smith for a social. Games were played and refreshments were served. Twenty members were present.

WMU Meeting Held Monday Afternoon

The W.M.U. of the First Baptist church met Monday afternoon with Mrs. Fred Stottlemire.

Mrs. O. O. Crow was leader of the program, "Christ and the Oriental Countries."

Mrs. Hollis gave the devotional. Mrs. J. T. Bolding the message about China with Mrs. Childers speaking on Japan. All dressed in native costume. Mrs. Fannie Patterson was elected president for the coming year during a short business meeting.

Refreshments were served to 19 members.

FORMER SLATON MAN DIES AT CLAUD

Mr. Perry Wolf, who with his wife and family, was a resident of Slaton about fourteen years ago, passed away at his home in Claud at 9:00 o'clock Tuesday night. His brother, Jim Wolf of Slaton, and Douglas Keese went to Claud on Tuesday. Funeral arrangements had not been made Wednesday, pending the arrival of his son, Joe Lee Wolf.

Other survivors include his wife, a daughter, Mrs. Don Christian, formerly Flora Bell Wolf, one grandchild, a brother of Abilene and a sister of Ft. Worth.

BAPTIST GIRLS GO TO FLOYDADA CAMP

Eighteen girls and five sponsors from Slaton registered Monday at the G. A. Camp for junior girls of the Plains Baptist Assembly, near Floydada. More than nine hundred girls from over the Plains were registered by Tuesday morning and the number was expected to reach twelve hundred by lunch time.

The following Slaton girls were in the group: Doris Ann Watson, Fay Nell Willey, Sue Tefertiller, Alma Reese Roberts, Patsy Hogue, Pam Maxey, Linda Sue Smith, Venita Green, Helen Ann Norris, Mickey Ward, Mary Lele Wyatt, Nelda Lemon, Donita Brown, Rosemary Custer, Dorene Ray, Nancy Moseley and Sandra Ward and Genevieve Ward of Lubbock.

Counselors who went with the girls were: Ruth O'Conner, Paula Maxey and Genell Bolding; assistants, Mrs. E. Ward and Iva Crowley.

Transportation was furnished by Geo. Green, Mrs. Elton Smith, Mrs. J. C. Smith and Mrs. J. J. Maxey.

Ed Haddock and family returned this week from a trip to Tres Rios, New Mexico.

John Rice of Midland visited Wednesday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clay Oates, sr.



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Lions Win Two Straight Tilts Over Cellar-Dwelling Brownfield Bears

As far as the Slaton Lions are concerned, Brownfield should be their opponent every game in the Oil Belt League.

Hungry for at least one win, the Lions beat Brownfield twice during the past nine-day period. They won at home 8-3 in a very good game, and went to Brownfield Sunday to wallopp the Bears 22 to 11.

In last Thursday night's game William "Whistle" Banks returned to mound duty after a ten-day absence to mark up a win against the Bear's fine young righthander, Beall. Banks allowed seven hits while the Lions got 11 bingles.

Sunday Roy Kahlich put in his first appearance as a hurler, giving up 18 hits, but winning the wild-scoring affair. His opponents on the mound were Beall and Russnal.

Brownfield started off last Thursday like they meant to win their second game of the year. They got one run in the fifth inning, added two in the seventh and two more in the top of the eighth to hold a safe-looking 5-2 lead.

Slaton had been able to score one run in the third for a short-lived lead, when catcher Urchery slammed a home run over the right field wall. One more was when Jim Reiger got on by a fielder's choice, advanced to third on Weaver's double, and came home when Clarence Tillery lined one through the infield in the fifth.

In the bottom of the eighth the roof fell in on Brownfield. Tillery led off with a single, Banks followed with a double, James added one more base to that by tripling, Donaldson was on first with a walk, and Urchery was on with an error when Gray got his third hit to score both. Reiger walked, and Weaver singled, but was forced by Tillery.

By the time all this happened six runs had come home to salt down the game for Slaton. Brownfield went down, one-two-three, in

the ninth inning. J. Gray led the local hitters with three hits in five at-bats, while Weaver, Tillery and Urchery got two each.

Sunday was a field day for the hitters. Bunky Guinn and Royal James got four hits each in six trips to the plate, while J. Gray, Jim Reiger and Jimmy Donaldson got three hits each. Every other regular player got at least one hit, and the Lions scored in every inning except the eighth.

The local nine started off with three runs in the first, added three in the second and kept going from there. They had to, if they were to hold their lead. In the third inning they got one run, but added five in the fourth and six in the fifth, before settling down for one tally in the sixth, two in the seventh and a final three in the ninth.

Brownfield, still seeking their season's second win, tried to match the pace. They got three runs in the second, one in the fourth, three in the fifth, one in the seventh and three in the eighth. It was enough for one day, but wasn't enough to win such a typical West Texas-New Mexico league clash as Sunday's was.

The Lions, their dispositions much improved after two straight wins, were slated to go to bat at home Thursday night against the Levelland Refiners. Sunday the local nine journeys to Post to try for their first win of the season over the Millers. Game time Thursday night at Lions Park is 8:30, while the Sunday game at Miller Park is 3:00 p. m.

Rev. and Mrs. P. J. Burns and daughter, Joyce, spent the past week vacationing in Dallas and Timpson.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Conner accompanied her mother, Mrs. J. B. Fuller of Clarksville, to her home and spent the week end in Ft. Worth.

SCOUTS EMPLOY RANGER



The Plains Council, Boy Scouts of America, announced today through its president, Dr. F. B. Malone, the employment of Frank A. Runkles, above, to serve as Camp Ranger at the Council's Camp Post, located 2 1/2 miles southwest of Post, Texas.

Runkles, better known as "Chief" to the thousands of Boy Scouts over the South Plains assumed his new duties on July 16. Mr. and Mrs. Runkles and their children, Don, Wayne, Wanda, Delores will live on the Campsite in the Caretakers home.

W. A. and E. R. Heinrich and B. W. West will attend a two day training clinic July 28 and 29 in Lubbock. The Texas Butane Dealers Association is conducting the clinic.

Phil Brewer returned home this week from A&M College, where he received his degree in Business Administration last Friday.

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For Rent 9

FOR RENT—2 room furnished apartment, on pavement; all conveniences. Alton Hurst, 735 S. 8th St. Phone 783W. 7-22p

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FOR RENT: Unfurnished 2 room apartment to couple. Corner South 18th and West Knox Street. 7-22-p

FOR RENT: Four rooms and bath. Furnished home. Couple only. 415 So. 7th. Phone 337-W. 8-5-p

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FOR RENT OR SALE: Unfurnished 5 room modern home in Slaton. See C. F. Schnell at Schnell's Exchange. 8-5-p

FOR RENT: Furnished apartment. Large bedroom, kitchen, service porch and private bath. Phone 603-J. 7-29-c

FOR RENT: Furnished apartment 3 blocks from square on paved street. 435 So. 7th. Phone 337-L-2. 7-22-p

FOR RENT: Front bedroom. 255 So. 12th. Phone 557-W. 8-5-c

Real Estate 6

New 4 room house. Hardwood floors. On South 14th. Can get G. I. Loan. Priced \$4500.00.

5 rooms and bath on South 9th. \$4750.00.

6 rooms and bath. Floor furnace. 2 lots on South 14th.

Irrigated 15 acre tract adjoining City. Good 6 room house, hardwood floors. Priced \$12,500.00, or will trade for smaller house in town and carry part of loan.

FOR SALE: Duplex on South 9th St. Close in. Priced reasonable.

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5 room and bath on West Garza, only 2 blocks from square. Small down payment. Balance at \$37.00 per month.

New 3 rooms and bath. 100% G. I. Loan. West Park Addition.

5 rooms and bath. East Lubbock St. Newly decorated. \$5000.00.

5 room home on South 10th St. Newly decorated inside and real buy at \$5,000.00.

2 nice homes on W. Lynn St. on pavement. Both priced to sell quickly.

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Miscellaneous 8

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Lost & Found 5

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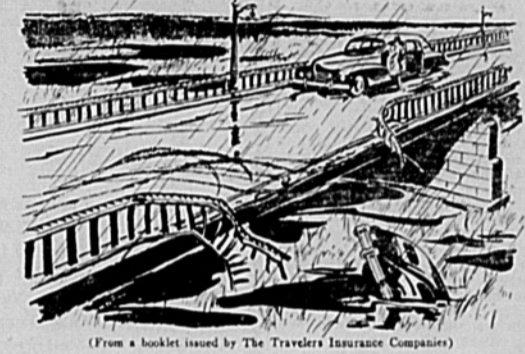
Two squad cars and an ambulance arrived at the scene simultaneously. The policemen and both internes could guess at one horrified glance what had happened.

The car had approached the narrow bridge at what might normally have been a reasonable pace. Through the rain, its driver had seen a car entering the bridge from the other end and, by instinct, he had jammed on the brakes. Everything up to this point had been normal—except the treacherous October weather. The slick surface of the pavement made the awful difference that Sunday afternoon. The big sedan skidded through a guard rail, off the bridge and into a marsh 35 feet below.

Yes, the accident was easy to reconstruct. The circumstances which assembled to send the



limousine to destruction were obvious. But the intensity of this tragedy was obscured in the dreadful wreckage. When identification was finally established, the city learned that six of its most prominent citizens had been killed in an auto accident two miles south of the Country Club.



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NOTICE

BY CITY OF SLATON TO OWNERS OF PROPERTY ABUTTING CERTAIN STREETS OF INTENTION OF CITY TO PAVE AND IMPROVE SAID STREETS AND TO LEVY ASSESSMENT AGAINST SAID PROPERTY AND THE OWNERS THEREOF IN PART PAYMENT THEREOF AFTER HEARING: AND TIME OF HEARING.

Whereas, on the 5th day of July, 1949, the City of Slaton by resolution requested Parkhill, Smith & Cooper, Engineers of said city, to prepare plans and specifications and estimates of costs of paving and improving certain streets in the city of Slaton; and

Whereas, by resolution passed on the 8th day of July, 1949, said City Commission approved said plans, specifications and estimates and determined that it is necessary that the hereinafter set out and enumerated portions of streets, avenues, and alleys in the City of Slaton be improved by raising, grading and filling same, by installing standard concrete curb and gutter, and by paving with triple asphalt surface treatment on six inch compacted caliche base:

UNIT NO. 5: Fourth Street from the South Property Line of Garza Street to the North Property Line of Scurry Street.

UNIT NO. 6: Seventh Street from the South Property Line of Garza Street to the South Property Line of Lubbock Street.

UNIT NO. 7: Lynn Street from the East Property Line of Sixteenth Street to the East Property Line of Nineteenth Street.

UNIT NO. 8: Crosby Street from the West Property Line of Ninth Street to the present existing pavement on Panhandle Avenue.

UNIT NO. 9: Sixth Street from the South Property Line of Lynn Street to the present existing pavement on Texas Avenue.

UNIT NO. 10: Eleventh Street from the South Property Line of Jean Street to the North Property Line of Powers Street and Fourteenth Street from the present existing pavement on Division Street to the North Property Line of Dayton Street.

Whereas said resolution provided that the property abutting said sections of said streets proposed to be improved and the owners thereof should be assessed and pay for not exceeding all the costs of curb and gutter abutting their respective properties plus 9/10th of the remaining costs of the improvements in the units on which the respective properties abut; and

Whereas, the estimated costs for said standard curb and gutter is \$1.35 per front foot and the estimated costs for paving is \$2.50175 per front foot, for each of said units or districts, the total estimated costs of improvements designated as unit or district No. 5 is \$5,453.54, the total estimated costs of improvements for district No. 6 is \$3,160.33, the total estimated costs of improvements of district No. 7 is \$9,427.42, the total estimated costs of improvements for district No. 8 is \$8,077.25, the total estimated costs of improvements for district No. 9 is \$3,766.20, and the total estimated costs of improvements of district No. 10 is \$7,987.71; and

Whereas, said resolution provided that before the levy of such assessments, hearing be held under the provisions of Article 1105b of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, after notice given as provided by law;

Now therefore, under the provisions of said Article 1105b R.C.S. of Texas, notice is hereby given to all said owners of property abutting upon said streets and alleys, and to all persons interested in said improvements that hearing will be had by the City Commission of the City of Slaton on the 30th day of July, 1949, at the City Hall at Slaton, Texas, beginning at ten o'clock A. M., at which time any of said owners or interested persons who shall desire to contest any such assessments on account of the amount thereof or for any reason will be heard; and such hearing shall be continued from day to day and from time to time as may be necessary to give all said property owners and interested persons a fully complete, fair and impartial hearing upon all matters with respect to such improvements and the levy of assessment in payment therefor.

After all persons have been heard and such hearing has been closed, assessments will be levied by ordinance against the abutting property and the owners thereof, which assessments will be a personal liability of the owners of such property and the first and prior lien upon said property as provided by said Article 1105b R.C.S. Texas.

Published by order of the City Commission of the City of Slaton, this 12th day of July, A. D. 1949.
L. B. WOOTTON
Mayor

ATTEST:
J. J. MAXEY
City Secretary. 7-29-c

SLATONITE



It is best, we know, to omit sports news from a general column such as this one. But we think the Slaton Touchdown club deserves mention.

The first meeting of this organization is tonight, at 7:30 in the city hall auditorium. C. R. Pattison, Lubbock High school head coach, is to be the main speaker, and he will show a movie of a football game.

The sophisticates probably do not see any point in athletics in general, and a touchdown club in particular. They think that sports, of any kind, are crude and without meaning.

But to see a group of young boys facing problems that to them are of the greatest magnitude, and overcoming these same obstacles to attain success, is an event that gives us the greatest pleasure in life.

The Touchdown club in Slaton is a vital part of the high school athletic program. This organization, through its interest, makes those boys realize that their parents and respected elders are interested in their welfare, and their success.

It should be considered the duty of every person in the town to be present for that meeting. It is a concrete way of showing the "kids" you are interested in them, and in what they do.

At last week's meeting of the Chamber of Commerce, this body endorsed the construction of a "credible" swimming pool as their project, and one which we think the chamber should not only endorse, but push, shove, pull and wrangle forward until it is completed.

We have not consulted the honorable Curly Martindale, but feel certain he will be the first to admit that the pool he is operating is not up to standard, for a town the size of Slaton at any rate.

He can appeal to only a few persons, as his pool will not accommodate more, and a larger pool would most certainly draw many persons from the outlying area, who had rather swim in Slaton than drive to Lubbock.

Too, there are many adults who like to swim, either regularly or occasionally. These are not attracted by a small pool, made smaller by the necessary amount of extra shallow water to accommodate young children.

Some club in town could certainly do some much-needed good for Slaton by taking the pool as their project, and working in conjunction with the chamber to construct it.

We only hope the "endorsement" does not mean the end to this. No other group is in as good a position to really push the thing through, and the chamber should be the one to receive the credit if it be constructed—provided they do not take an inactive attitude toward getting it built.

The Colorado Record, weekly paper at Colorado City, carried a notice last week that water will be rationed there for the ensuing 30-day period, and longer if necessary.

It only brings out more strongly the fact that West Texas must have a steady water supply sometime in the immediate future. Lubbock has had the same troubles in the past, and all South Plains towns are, at one time or another, faced with a summer water shortage.

We don't know if the Canadian Dam and reservoir that has been proposed will be an answer, if constructed, to these shortage problems. But we do believe that the reservoir would have enough water available for Slaton, that the only shortage that might occur would be line trouble, or some other minor happening that might delay delivery of water a few days.

After talking with J. B. Hucka

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around so freely from one person to another, there might be some blood shed. And, there must be some strained financial statements in town if the name Barnett is applied as freely behind our back as some others we hear. That is, of course, if the persons "complimented" pay off the \$1.00 they would naturally owe the person making such a purposeful mistake.

We feel the whole proposal should be pushed through, if at all possible, if the water is there to be had. (This is all a personal opinion, and most certainly does not reflect, in any way except the opposite, the views on said subject by Water Expert Weak Jackson).

Lubbock is certainly having growing pains. A group of their wealthier citizens, having made their modest fortunes within the city limits of the Hub City and having moved to the country to enjoy the fresh air, have suddenly found it advisable to establish a separate township.

As far as we are concerned, that is their business, and we feel certain that opinion would meet with their immediate agreement. But Lubbock officials last week were not quite so kind, or unconcerned.

Most of the city commissioners suggested, in diplomatic terms where they wouldn't be liable to law suits, that these men who head the organization proposal be treated most roughly, up to a whipping at the stake.

But, who, if we were in their shoes, might turn the other cheek, so to speak; subjecting ourselves to city taxes, etc., that will soon come when incorporated within the sprawling and growing city of Lubbock.

Lubbock's side, on the other hand, is the one which tells of them having made their money in that city, and being obligated to remain a free and independent suburb until the city decides to turn them into the fold. It is indeed a most controversial subject, but regardless of the city's official howling we imagine there is a basis somewhere down the line for such action. All of the men listed in the new township are, and have long been leading citizens. They must have their reasons.

We extend our sympathies to any newcomers in Slaton who might be trying to get acquainted with the downtown loafers and businessmen.

If anyone, of established residence up to and exceeding six months, is ever called by their correct name, we would like to hear it.

We credit the beginning of all the trouble to E. T. Butch, the Barber Hillen and Max Slaughterhouse Arrants. They continue to "mispronounce" names that might be of general confusion to a man just introduced.

If some of the menfolk around ever hear their name passed

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Lady Liberty
Lady Liberty—the girl who holds the torch above New York harbor—has reached the venerable old age of 62 years. She is gowned in copper, which time and weather have colored green. The copper, however, is a mere shell, no thicker than a silver dollar. Sea winds would blow it away if it were not firmly fastened to the girdele of iron and steel which lies beneath. Lady Liberty was a gift from France to the United States, and was designed by the same Gustav Eiffel who did the Eiffel tower.

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From the Sidewalk—

The Week's Question
Texans will go to the polls this fall to vote for several special amendments to the constitution of the state. Included in these is one that would, if passed, repeal the poll tax, a requirement for voting in this state. Are you in favor of a poll tax, or similar fee, as a requirement for voting, or are you in favor of repealing this law and making the right to vote free to any person interested?

Bruce Pember—"It is not a democratic practice to require payment of the poll tax as a requirement for voting, but it effects a selection of voters that I consider vital to this country. Unless there could be some substitution to effect the same selection, it would be a lesser of two evils to retain the requirement. The vote is vital to our form of government, and in the wrong hands there is no telling where our country might wind up. In the light of all this I am in favor of a poll tax."

Frank D. Perry—"I don't think we should pay to vote. At the same time people don't pay any taxes, but get their children educated free while they run around all over the country. Offhand, however, I am against the poll tax."

Claude Cravens—"I'm in favor of

abolishing the cost of a man's expressing his opinion and exercising his franchise. I hope the fee they set to replace the poll tax will be no rougher, however. Just so they don't set a tax on lawyers, I'm happy. But, seriously, I am against the poll tax."

Nat Heaton—"I can't help being against the repeal and for the poll tax. I think that a man who doesn't appreciate the right to vote enough to pay a poll tax doesn't need to vote."

O. Z. Ball—"I've always thought that if a man doesn't think enough of his right to vote to pay a dollar and six bits for it, then he should not be entitled to vote."

Bill Kelley—"I think the voting privilege should be free. We should have some type of registration requirements, however, but it should not be one making a man pay for his privilege provided for in the constitution."

Dr. R. W. Ragsdale—"If we are to have a country of the people, by the people and FOR the people, then why stick a man to give out his opinion at the polls. I am 'agin' the poll tax."



PAT O'BRIEN does a coin trick for DEAN STOCKWELL in this scene from RKO's "THE BOY WITH GREEN HAIR." Color by Technicolor.

SLATON THEATRE — WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY



JOHN WAYNE and GAIL RUSSELL in a romantic scene from Republic's adventure story, "WAKE OF THE RED WITCH."

SLATON THEATRE — SUN. & MON.

"Wake Of The Red Witch" Feature At Slaton Theater Sunday-Monday

A boy with green hair, a red witch, a famous comic character, and a famous group of crime-busters appear in the next seven days on the screen of the Slaton theater. Today and Saturday Bill Elliott leads a group of Texas Rangers across the screen's many miles of action and thrills to protect the sovereign state of Texas in her early, post-Civil War days of strife and turmoil.

Elliott is pictured as the stalwart Texan fighting against forces seeking to separate the Lone Star State and establish a separate empire in the West—for personal gain and private greed. He is pitched in battle against Joseph Schildkraut and Bruce Cabot.

Saturday night at 11:00 Stage Struck appears on the screen in the week's Owl Show.

Sunday and Monday the "Wake of the Red Witch" is due at the Slaton with a spell-binding version of a great best-selling novel that spins a romantic and danger-filled epic of the sea.

John Wayne carries the plot on his broad shoulders, capably portraying the role of Captain Ralls, a rough-and-tumble sea captain. He is co-starred with Gail Russell, his romantic interest in the picture.

Tuesday Li'l Abner comes to life on the screen, complete with Daisy Mae, Pappy and Mammy Yokum and all the folks from Dog Patch. It is a delightful comedy based on the famous comic strip.

"The Boy With Green Hair," with Pat O'Brien, Robert Ryan, Barbara Hale and Dean Stockwell—"The Boy"—is the Wednesday and Thursday feature. It is a story that is definitely different, based on a boy's single-handed crusade to end war.

The young Stockwell boy plays the title part as an American war orphan living with an elderly relative in a middle-Western town.

Hawaiian Sugar
Territory of Hawaii has 288,767 acres of land under cultivation, according to the 1947 annual report of the governor to the secretary of interior. Sugar occupies about 74 per cent, pineapples 21 per cent and diversified crops 5 per cent.

Location of Wooden Shelves
Wooden shelves should not be placed above a stove or heater; but if this is unavoidable they should be carefully protected on the under side from the heat. Such shelves are particularly dangerous if covered with paper.

Fewer New Auto Models
Because of the tremendous cost of retooling, it is expected that automobile manufacturers generally will make only minor changes in their models for several years. Present trend in new models stresses roomier interiors, greater riding comfort through improved spring action and higher compression engines.

George Simon Ohm
German physicist George Simon Ohm (1789-1854) formulated in 1827 the law of electrical resistance that underlies all modern electrical theory and measurement. Science scoffed at him for 15 years. Recognition brought him out of long retirement and into overwork that hastened his death.

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POSEY ITEMS

R. L. BOYD

Mrs. Val Wylie had as visitors the past week her mother, Mrs. G. C. Smith of Valley View, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. MacCustion and son of Forney, and Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Smith of Idalou.

Mrs. Nan Hastings of Alief and Mrs. Lily Morgan of Italy are visiting their brothers, W. T., M. P., and S. N. Gentry.

Fred Stolle and R. B. Boyd went to Smyer Sunday.

W. M. Cox, who moved to Colorado a few years ago is said to be now living near O'Donnell.

LaVerne Gentry was visiting her sister at Lubbock over the week end.

Cotton is growing well. Some fields have been dusted for flea hoppers.

Only one officer and one teacher were present for Sunday School, but a fair crowd was present.

Mrs. Wylie is attending the last term of the Tech Summer School.

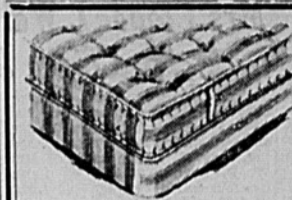
W. G. Boyd, who was a rural mail carrier of Wilson, is now retired.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Mundy and two children of Kingsville spent the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Max Arrants. Mr. Mundy is head coach at Texas A. & I.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Davis spent the week end visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Keeling of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. K. C. Scott returned Friday from a two weeks vacation spent in Chicago and other points in Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Jordan of Lubbock spent the week end here in the home of their daughter, Mrs. M. G. Davis.



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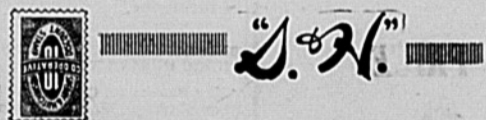


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J. W. Chenoweth And Anne Wharton Marry In Dallas

Before an altar banked with magnolias and pink gladioli at the home of her mother, Mrs. Arthur Dickson Wharton, 3516 Cornell, in Dallas, Miss Anne Wharton was married Friday afternoon to James William Chenoweth of Dallas. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Chenoweth of Slaton.

The Rev. Patrick Henry Jr. read the vows at 4:30 o'clock and music was presented by Miss Mary Caroline Goodman, pianist, and Miss Gloria Thornton, vocalist.

The bride was given in marriage by her uncle, B. Schlosberg of Chicago, Ill. Her wedding dress, street length, was of imported pink eyelet baliste, and was trimmed with bands of pink organza. The bride wore a pink net bonnet accented with velvet ribbons and forget-me-nots. Her shoes were of pink linen, and her bridal bouquet of pink rosebuds was arranged on an antique fan.

Maid of honor and best man were Miss Rita Wharton and Donald R. Brown.

During the reception held after the ceremony Miss Jean Spurgin cut the wedding cake, Miss Mary Anne Morrison poured punch and Miss Barbara Boyd was at the bride's book.

When the newlyweds left, the bride was wearing a silk Shantung suit of royal blue and white print. She had a matching hat and white accessories. The couple will be at home at 5550 Vickery Boulevard, Dallas.

Both the bride and bridegroom attended Highland Park High School and SMU. She belonged to Delta Delta Delta sorority at SMU, where he was a member of Kappa Alpha fraternity.

Out-of-town wedding guests were Mr. and Mrs. Schlosberg, Chicago, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Singleton, San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Logan Jr., Comfert; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Logan III, Houston, and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Duncan, Ft. Worth. —Dallas News.

Mrs. Geo. Culwell spent the week end visiting relatives in Stamford.

R. C. Ayers made a business trip to Fort Worth the first of the week.

Society Clubs

Mrs. Claude L. Ward Is Honored At Coffee And Shower Friday

Mrs. Claude L. Ward, formerly Miss Joyce Sexton, was honored with a coffee and miscellaneous shower, given last Friday morning, July 15, at the home of Mrs. W. P. Layne at 335 W. Lynn. Friends called between the hours of 9:00 and 10:30.

Mrs. Layne and Mrs. C. L. Heaton alternated in greeting guests at the door and presented them to the receiving line composed of Mrs. Claude L. Ward, Mrs. F. B. Sexton, mother of the bride; Mrs. J. W. Ward, mother of the bridegroom, and Mrs. Marlee Holloman, sister of the bride.

Mrs. Troy Pickens and Mrs. Robert Lee alternated at the silver coffee service. The serving table was covered with a pastel green damask cloth and the centerpiece was an arrangement of large varicolored gladioli flanked by white candles in silver holders. Dahlias and gladioli were used as decorations throughout the receiving rooms.

Miss Betty Ann Willis registered guests in the bride's book, and Mrs. Bert Polk directed them to the room where the gifts were displayed. Mrs. Donald Polk and Mrs. Magnus Klattenhoff showed the gifts. Miss Betty Sue Layne supervised recorded music.

Approximately seventy-five names were registered.

Hostesses for the occasion were as follows: Mesdames W. L. Holloman, H. G. Schuette, Joe Bickerstaff, Martin Collins, O. B. Herring, Troy Pickens, C. L. Heaton, Robt. Lee, W. P. Layne, Magnus Klattenhoff, Donald Polk and Bert Polk, and Misses Phyllis Tefertiller, Irma Lou Gregory and Betty Ann Willis.

Mrs. Geo. W. Nickel of San Angelo spent a few days here last week visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Dawson. She left here for Tulsa, where she will visit with a son and his family and will also visit in Miami before returning to her home.

Louis W. Cates To Marry Kansas Girl



MISS FELICIA SALAMONE

Word was received here this week of the approaching marriage of Miss Felicia Salamone, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Salamone of Wichita, Kan., and Louis W. Cates, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Cates of Wichita, formerly of Slaton.

According to the announcement, the wedding will take place on August 27. Miss Salamone attended Mt. St. Scholastica College for Women in Atchison, Kan., and the University of Wichita. Mr. Cates attended Stanford University, Palo Alto, Calif., and at present is attending the University of Wichita.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Ayers returned this week from Corpus Christi where they have been visiting for the past two weeks.

WOODMEN CIRCLE MEETS

The Woodmen Circle of Slaton, Grove No. 1320 met Monday night, July 11, at the W.O.W. Hall.

The ritualistic work was performed and two candidates were initiated. Plans were discussed for purchasing of a piano to add to the hall.

The newly elected chaplain, Mrs. J. R. Welborn, has recently undergone surgery in a Lubbock hospital. She is back at her home, doing nicely.

After the meeting was adjourned a social hour was held and refreshments were served to the following members: Mesdames J. D. Snider, Ira McCarver, J. A. Cole, J. H. Eaves, James Ballier, C. D. Willis, Edmund Wilke, R. G. Hodges, A. B. Dozier, W. W. Saage, K. A. Price, and Miss LaRue Martin. The next regular meeting will be Friday night, July 22, at the W.O.W. Hall.

D. SEIWERT OF SOUTHLAND CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

Danny Seiwert of Southland celebrated his sixth birthday Saturday afternoon, July 9, at the Slaton Park, with some of his friends. Those present were: Billie and Pattie Cooper, Sue and Jimmie Lancaster, Bob, Dot and Linda Taunton, Aaron and Rodney Hutto, Jimmie Haire, Brenda Jo and David Dobbs, Jimmie Dale Hendrix, Linda Nell Camdon, Beatrice Glenn Roy and Judy Klesel, Terry and Travis Ray Hendrix, Sylvia and Bruce Baxinger, and Sharia Cates, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Cates of Wichita, formerly of Slaton.

Games were placed and ice cream, soda pop and cookies were served. Balloons were given as favors. Pictures were made. Twelve mothers were present.

Mr. and Mrs. John Berkley returned home Sunday from Hot Springs, Ark., where they spent a two weeks vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford S. Davis of Collinsville and Mrs. M. G. Davis of Trenton spent several days last week visiting in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Max Arrants.

Lubbock And Slaton Parties Honor Geane Martin

A rehearsal dinner honoring Miss Geane Martin and Kenneth R. King, whose marriage is scheduled for Saturday night, is planned for tonight at 7:30 o'clock at Hilton Hotel in Lubbock. Mr. and Mrs. A. J. King of Odessa, parents of the bridegroom-elect, are to be hosts.

Miss Vicki Martin, sister of the bride-elect entertained Thursday morning with a bridesmaids breakfast in the Martin home at 2508 Twenty-second.

In Slaton, the former home of the bride-to-be, luncheon was given Friday by Mesdames J. D. Barry, Claude Anderson and W. L. Bradshaw at the Barry home. The hostesses presented the honoree a hand painted picture, plate and vase, and other Slaton friends sent gifts for Miss Martin to the party.

The luncheon table was decorated with an arrangement of daisies, flanked on either side with gold crowns centered with tapers. Smaller crowns were used as place cards for the hostesses, the honoree, her mother, Mrs. T. K. Martin, her sister, Miss Vicki Martin, Mrs. F. A. Kleinschmidt, Miss Mary Jane Hinchey and Miss Polly Gossett, all of Lubbock.

Miss Martin was named guest of honor at a Thursday night tea-shower given in the home of Mrs. Clark Zachary, 2408 Ave. T, by Mesdames Zachary, J. A. Nunley, Jr., A. D. Boyd, Rafe Nabors, N. M. Lowery and D. R. Patterson.

Mrs. Nabors greeted guests and presented them to the honoree, Mrs. Martin, Miss Vicki Martin, Mrs. A. J. King, and Mrs. James Bellah, sister of the prospective bridegroom, who were in the receiving line. Another sister, Miss Maxine King, presided at the bride's book.

The refreshment table was laid with a hand-drawn white cloth and centered with a miniature bride and bridegroom standing before a tiny church made of sweetpeas. Roses decorated the living room.

Thirty-seven guests called or sent gifts. —Lubbock Avalanche-Journal.

Party Is To Honor J. W. Chenoweth

The Rainbow Girls are honoring their advisor, Mrs. J. W. Chenoweth, and her husband with a farewell party Friday, July 22, beginning at 8:30, at the home of Mrs. R. L. Smith, 700 S. 8th St.

Mr. and Mrs. Chenoweth are moving to Dallas very soon. Both have been faithful and loyal workers with the Rainbow Girls and will be sincerely missed by all.

All friends of the Chenoweths and all Rainbow Girls are invited to attend the party.

FRIENDSHIP CLASS ENJOYS SOCIAL ON LOVETT LAWN

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Lovett were hosts to the Young Couples Friendship Class of the Methodist Church School in their lovely yard on the night of July 14. Games were played and a general good time was enjoyed by eighteen members and several of their children.

Ice cream and cake was furnished by the class members.

Mr. Alton Sumrall is to be the teacher for the next three months. The class meets each Sunday morning at the regular church school hour. All young couples are welcome and will find the message very inspirational.

FORMER SLATON GIRL TO MARRY IN BROWNWOOD

Several parties were given in Lubbock this week honoring Miss Oleta Stewart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl O. Stewart, formerly of Slaton. Miss Stewart is to marry Coke Toliver on Saturday in Brownwood.

BLUEBONNETS WILL HAVE PICNIC IN AUGUST

The Bluebonnet Club met in the home of Mrs. J. D. Barry Wednesday afternoon, July 13, with fourteen members present.

There are to be no more regular meetings until September. The annual picnic will be held August 1, beginning at seven o'clock at the Slaton Club House.

W. S. C. S. TO MEET MONDAY AFTERNOON

The Women's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church is scheduled to meet Monday afternoon at four o'clock in the home of Mrs. A. E. Whitehead.

CEREBRAL PALSY CLINIC TO BE HELD AUGUST 15

The Cerebral Palsy Treatment Center, located at 1317 Tenth St. in Lubbock, will hold a clinic for the examination of cerebral palsied children on Monday, August 15. Dr. Charles B. Sadler, Amarillo and Dr. E. T. Driscoll, Plainview will examine patients.

Parents interested in bringing children to the clinic on August 15 are requested to register the child at the Center at some time before the clinic date. Further information may be obtained by contacting Dr. Esther Snell, Director of the Treatment Center, 1317 10th Street or by calling Lubbock 6541.

Key Ely and two daughters attended a family reunion at Abilene Saturday and Sunday. There were over 100 members of the Ely family present for the fourth reunion. Ely said that his daughters were numbers 92, 93 and 94 upon their arrival.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wyman of Wichita Falls spent Thursday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clay Oates, sr. Mrs. Wyman is Mr. Oates's sister.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our many friends and neighbors for their many kind and thoughtful deeds and for the wonderful food and the beautiful flowers in the passing of our dear mother and grandmother. May Gods richest blessings be with each of you, is our humble prayer.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Albrecht and family,
Mr. and Mrs. Josh Woosley and family,
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Woosley and family,
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Woosley.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Adkins left Friday, July 15, for a two weeks trip to New Mexico and Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Hall Davis spent the latter part of last week and the first of this week on a fishing trip in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Patterson and Arthur Patterson, all of Union, left Friday for Tupelo, Miss., to attend a family reunion.

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Wool Producing Countries
Five principal wool producing countries of the southern hemisphere are Australia, Argentina, New Zealand, the Union of South Africa, and Uruguay.

The SPORTLIGHT

There still hasn't been any official word about the leader in the Tri-County softball league, but we have an idea that a headache is in store for the person to eventually figure the standings.

The league is pretty well matched, or there is some mighty inconsistent ball being played out at Lions Park three nights weekly.

For a few days it looked like Ayers might run away with the pennant. Their pitching was good, and their fielding improving.

Then came Midway knocking over one team after another, and the last one of the entire league to drop a game.

VFW started off very poorly, but of late has been able to knock over most of the clubs, losing one recently to Ayers.

Hoyle couldn't buy a victory early in the season, but of late they are the toughest team in the league to beat, night in and night out.

Posey is another team that has proved hot and cold, though they have lost more regularly than they have won. They have had good hitting and fair fielding, but have had a tough time getting enough runs.

Pleasant Valley has also been up and down the ladder in their softball fortunes.

All in all, any team is no cinch to win any game on any given night. They are all likely to win, or lose to any other foe. It has been, thus far, a very good season from the competitive standpoint.

Right now Ayers and Midway still loom, to us, as the biggest threats to win the pennant. They win more consistently, although Ayers can't buy a win over Midway. Midway, however, has a hard time winning against other competition.

Take this duel for first place and add to hot rivalry that has sprung between Ayers and VFW and you have an idea of what kind of league we are having this year. It has been red hot, all the way, and promises even more action in the future.

Any one who doesn't take advantage of the close rivalry through out the league and go out to see some of the games is passing a golden opportunity.

Slaton's Boy Club continues their winning ways in out-of-town competition. They beat Post again last week in two games. This was the second time in two weeks the local youngsters won over our arch rivals from Garza county.

This week the margin was not as great, the bigger boys winning 8-3 and the pee-wees winning 9-4. But Coach Clarence Tillery used more boys than he did when he went to Post.

He doesn't know how many played in the two afternoon softball games, but estimates about 50 was the total. If you have ever been out to see them play you know why Tim didn't know how many played.

There is more action, most of it straight up and down, in one small plot of ground at one of these games than any other sport on the market. The boys mill continually, race back and forth, clamor for a chance to play, don't want to be taken out of a game, and create more noise per square inch than any other type of animal in captivity.

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for the boys, and for people to go see. It will help keep you young, just watching.

Tonight is the first meeting of the Slaton Touchdown club for the coming year. We may be a little prejudiced on the subject, but we think it one of the top organizations in Slaton.

It gives the school athletic program a push, and makes the coaches and boys feel that someone is really interested in what they are doing.

Not only that, it gives the fans a chance to really learn something about football, basketball or other sports. This year's club promises to furnish more in the way of entertainment than they have in the past, provided that present plans percolate.

Pictures of various games will be shown during football season, plus weekly talks by Coach Tillery about the opposition to be encountered in the future, as well as a review of past games.

Tonight's meeting will be highlighted by one of Texas' finest coaches. C. R. "Pat" Pattison, head football coach at Lubbock High school, has one of the very finest records of any schoolboy coach in this state, and when one has a chance to meet and talk to him, it is easy to understand why.

He has that knack with the boys, and men, that make them like him, as well as give him that respect so necessary to a person who is leading a group of young men in athletics.

He also has that keen knowledge of football that is so vital to winning teams, plus an ability to see into and through the finer details of the grid game.

Plus this, he is a very interesting speaker, and one we believe every parent and football fan

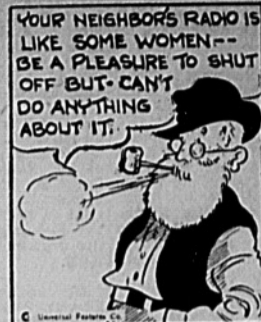
should make a very special effort to hear. Plus his talk, he will bring along pictures of the Lubbock Western-Odessa Broncho 1948 football game, one which Pat's boys tied 7-7.

If you think he doesn't get results—in case you are unfamiliar with his winning record at Olney, Denison and Wichita Falls high schools before he began his sojourn in Lubbock—remember the Odessa game was the first one his new charges had ever played under him. They played this only three weeks after he began teaching his system, and without benefit of spring training the previous year.

He did a fine job, in a short time. We urge every reader of this column to attend tonight's meeting. If, for no other reason, than to make a good impression on a good coach, let's all make a very special effort to be present tonight. The meeting is at 7:30 at the City Hall auditorium.

By the time this column appears Floyd Walker may have already departed the Hubbers, after joining them last week. He was one of their catchers last season. His return was heralded by the Lubbock sportswriters, as he is a good batter. We feel he had better be a consistent long-ball hitter. It would take a normal triple to get him to first, and unless the fielders were to lose the ball in the weeds, we can't see Walker ever getting a double.

Its just opinion, but the Hubbers need a good pitcher worse than they need any hitters. They have been hitting the league pitching pretty well of late, and when they have lost it hasn't been the result of any lack of scores, but just a case of the other team getting the "mostest."



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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Don't Fence Yourself In

Every spring, Handy Peterson and Easy Roberts patch up the stone wall that separates their farms. They walk along talking—Easy on one side, Handy on the other—picking up the fallen stones and putting them back.

Afterwards, over a friendly glass of beer, Easy says, "You know, wall-mending is a nice neighborly custom, but we really don't need that wall. We keep it up just because it happens to be there."

"Yes," says Handy, "a lot of walls and fences and boundaries keep on separating people for no good reason. Maybe we'd all be better off if some of them were torn down, instead of kept standing."

From where I sit, Handy said a mouthful. Take the "walls of intolerance" that people build up against each other. I like a temperate glass of beer now and then, you may prefer buttermilk—but that's no reason for me to criticize you, or you, me. Let's live and let live together—making more friends and fewer "walls."

Joe Marsh

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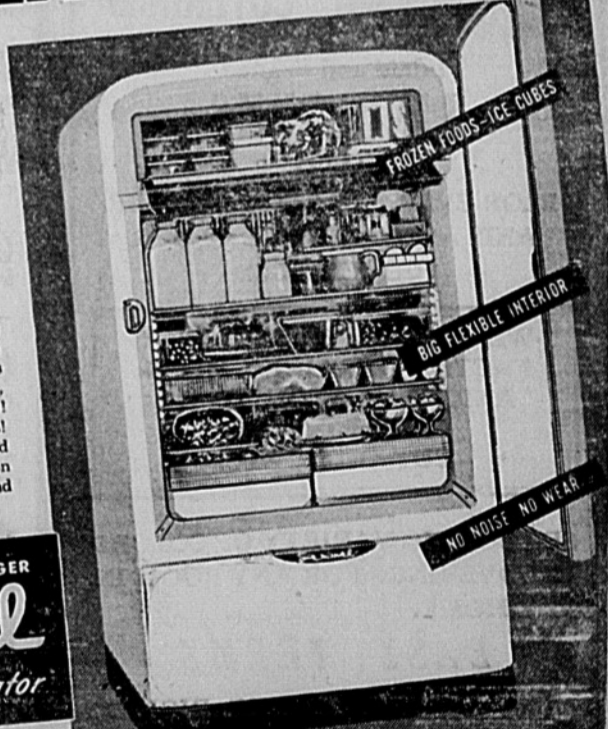


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Clifford Young underwent minor surgery Tuesday to remove a piece of wire from his leg which had been there for eight years. He is doing nicely.

Mrs. J. P. Pearson went to Clovis Wednesday to spend the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. O'Neal.

Johnette Berkley returned home this week from Abilene, where she spent several days visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mack. Miss Berkley and Miss Martha Mack have just returned from Camp Klebit at Thorp Springs, where they spent a two weeks vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Alderson and daughter left Friday night for Ruidoso and other points in New Mexico for a week's vacation.

Mrs. Artie Whitesides is spending a few days this week in Burk Burnett on a combined business and pleasure trip.

Ed Parker, mechanic at Crow-Haral Chevrolet Co., left Saturday for New Orleans for a week's vacation.

Capt. E. W. Schmid returned to his home in Lawton, Okla., Tuesday after spending a week visiting in the home of his mother, Mrs. F. A. Drewry.

Kay Short spent last week with her cousin, Judy Gossett, in Post, and Judy returned home with her to spend a week here.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Tillman of Post visited with Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Dunlap Sunday.

Misses Cherie and Barbara Arants are spending the week in Collinsville, visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Davis.

Mrs. Fent Stallings spent several days last week and this week visiting in the home of her son in Clovis, N. M.

Pretty boxed stationary personalized or plain at the Slatonite.

Henry S. Peavy of Sherman spent several days last week visiting in the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Peavy. Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Peavy of Lubbock and Mrs. Scott of Brownwood were also visitors in the Peavy home here Thursday and Friday evenings.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Saage returned home Sunday from Bartlett, where they attended the funeral of Mr. Saage's brother, Chas. Saage. Mr. and Mrs. Milton Jochetz accompanied them to Bartlett and went on to College Station, where Mr. Jochetz attended a school for fire department members, held at A&M.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Crossland of Everett, Wash., and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Molyneux and daughter of Seattle, Wash., visited last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Kenney and also with Mrs. J. W. Kenney and also with Mrs. J. W. Kenney of Wolforth. Mrs. Crossland is Mr. Kenney's aunt.

Mesdames Fred Stottlemire, Fannie Patterson, Clifford Young, Gemelia Brown, E. E. Culver, and J. A. Elliott went to Floydada on Tuesday morning to assist in serving breakfast to the junior girls and their sponsors at the Baptist Encampment near there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Butler attended funeral services at Post Saturday for his nephew, George Ernest Owings, who passed away Wednesday at Ft. Bayard in New Mexico. Burial was at Post, his former home. Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Bolding also attended the funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Barnes and Judy spent the past week end visiting in Amarillo with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Dearman and Carole, also the C. F. Fine and A. D. Brandon families.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. White and Mrs. Dudley Berry spent Tuesday in San Angelo on business.

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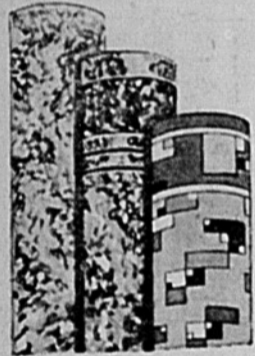
Born July 15 at Mercy Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Bednarz a girl weighing 7 lbs.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Hornbuckle of Carlsbad, N. M., a boy weighing 8 lbs., 6 1/2 ozs., named Bobby Dale. The parents were formerly of Slaton.

Adopted by Mr. and Mrs. Ira McCarver of 115 N. 19th St., a son, Edwin Ray, weight 7 lbs., 11 ozs.

THIS WEEK'S SMILES

One sister is just crazy about school. The other and younger one is to put it mildly, considerably less enthusiastic. The other day the older sister suggested: "Let's play school." "All right," returned the younger one, grudgingly, "but let's play I'm absent." —Cleveland Plain Dealer



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